



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In Re:           Stephaan Valere Albert Coussement  
Case:           P4647  
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Filed:          03/06/2001  
Subject:        Capability-Based Routing

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Dear Sir:

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